STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS18196

The proposed legislation makes changes to 18-2507, Idaho Code, relating to the expense of prosecution of state prisoners. This change would speed up the process so that claims could be paid within 60 days, consistent with 67-2302, Idaho Code, after approval of the claim by the Board of Examiners.

FISCAL NOTE

The claims are currently being paid from the General Fund; however, under current Idaho Code there may be a delay of up to one year before the claim can be paid. The current average yearly amount of these claims is less that \$30,000.



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